IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

SCOTT D. DALESANDRO and DIANE

NOONAN, on behalf of themselves and
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others,

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Plaintiffs, :

: Case No. C-1-01 109

vs.

Judge Sandra S. Beckwith

INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY,

:

Defendant. :

DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR COURT APPROVAL OF CLASS COMMUNICATION

On February 18, 2004, Plaintiffs filed their Motion for Court Approval of Class Communication. International Paper Company has no objection to the Class Communication attached as Exhibit A to Plaintiffs' Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

INTERNATIONAL PAPER CO.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 23rd day of February 2004, a true and complete copy of this document was delivered via electronic filing to Counsel for Plaintiff, Theresa L. Groh, Esq., and John C. Murdock at Murdock, Goldenberg, Schneider & Groh, L.P.A., 700 Walnut Street, Suite 400, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45202.

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